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## A SPLENDID REPORT

Daughters of Confederacy do  
Excellent Work

## NEW PRESIDENT SELECTED

Mrs. T. H. Randolph Writes an In-  
teresting Letter.

To the Members of the Anna Jackson  
Chapter of the United Daughters of the  
Confederacy—Greeting:

Ladies—In presenting my report to  
you of the work done by the chapter  
during the year 1901, I feel how incompe-  
tent I am to do this in the presence  
of so many gifted women. However  
it may be, the chapter has accom-  
plished some things upon which it can  
look back in after years with some de-  
gree of pride and pleasure. I refer,  
among other things, to the securing  
from the Legislature of 1901 the sum  
of \$2,500.00 toward the erection of a  
Confederate monument at Olustee, and  
to the conferring of thirty-one Crosses  
of Honor to the veterans of Camp La-  
mar. These two efforts have been  
worth while, if we had done nothing  
more; but when we recall the lunch and  
supper, which, in connection with the  
sale of a handsome Confederate quilt  
which secured to us the sum of \$41.00;  
the lecture on the Battle of the Natural  
Bridge by the hero of the hour (I refer  
to General Miller, of Point Washing-  
ton), which gave into our treasury  
\$17.20; the immensely successful  
program on Memorial Day under the  
auspices of Mrs. Clifton B. Guynn, and  
the brilliant speaker of the day, the  
Honorable Dannelly Mays, (the collec-  
tion adding \$31.63 to our treasury; the  
acquisition of Mrs. Smith, Miss Sue  
Archer and Miss Mary Ward (the  
daughter of our first Florida martyr to  
the Lost Cause) as honorary members  
on our roll of membership—I say when  
we recall these items, the Anna Jack-  
son Chapter may look back with some  
degree of complacency upon the work  
of 1901.

In recalling our roll a requiem must  
not be forgotten to the memory of our  
two members who have been called  
away to add their names to a more last-  
ing roll of honor. I refer to Mrs. Geo.  
P. Roney and Mrs. Sallie Smith Custis.  
The first to leave us, we shall ever re-  
member them with love and regret.  
Before Mrs. Custis was gone, I had  
hoped to gather some items of interest  
for our historical records, as her hus-  
band was among the sick and dying  
during the early years of the Confed-  
eracy, and doubtless received many  
last words for loved ones far away, but  
in this I procrastinated.

The manner of the marking of the  
graves in our City Cemetery is still an  
open question, and the Anna Jackson  
Chapter is still amicably divided on  
this important question. My proposi-  
tion to put a granite or brick coping  
around the whole, with a handsome  
and substantial inscription, has met  
with some favor. I would suggest  
that as the veterans of Lamar Camp  
donated a little toward this effort,  
that they have a vote in this matter,  
but as another takes my place today, I  
only offer a suggestion, and leave the  
honor of completing the work to her.

Before I close, I would congratulate  
the chapter on the accumulation of a  
few relics, viz: an account of the cele-  
bration of the first Memorial Day in  
Tallahassee, given by Miss Sue Archer;  
this association has been merged into  
the Anna Jackson Chapter, on motion  
of its president, Mrs. E. H. Gamble, at  
an early date in the year 1901. Other  
papers of interest consist of the roster  
of officers and members of Thompson B.  
Lamar Camp of Confederate Veterans,  
No. 161; also roll of the Leon Light Ar-  
tillery, Co. D, 1st Fla. Inf., which went  
to Pensacola under the command of  
Hon. Judge Hinton as captain in 1861.  
These two treasures came from the  
generous hand of Mrs. C. A. Bryan,  
our honored vice-president. Still other  
souvenirs are copies of hymns sung as  
far back as the first memorial services  
in our cemetery. These, with other  
newspaper articles, culled from leading  
Southern papers, and in possession of  
the chapter, I would suggest be put in  
such form as to be more substantially  
preserved than in commercial envel-  
opes.

In regard to my intercourse with the  
members of the chapter as your presi-  
dent, I have much to thank you for.  
In every proposition I have made, in  
every call for a meeting, I have met  
with courtesy and gentle kindness,  
and ere we part, I would ask your at-  
tention to a few words of warning that  
have sounded in my ears through the  
trouble of our sister chapter at Brook-  
sville. Let us be the banner chapter,  
not only in wrestling from the Legis-  
lature a sum exclusively for our Con-  
federate dead, but let us also be the  
banner chapter for peace and good will.  
Let us ever hold up the feeble hands  
among us whenever it is needed, and  
pray that "our Lord would direct us in  
all our work with His most gracious  
favor." Respectfully submitted,  
MRS. T. H. RANDOLPH.  
January 21st, 1902.

## AND STILL THEY COME.

The next census of Florida will be  
an easy matter. Everybody wants to  
be a notary public. The run for that  
most important and highly lucrative  
title seems to have become epidemic,  
and the number of appointments is  
growing every week. Unless the tide  
is checked it will not be many years  
until every man you meet will be a  
notary public. When the time comes

for taking the next census of Florida  
the enumerators will simply have to go  
to the Secretary of State's office and  
ascertain the number of commissions  
issued. It will then be an easy matter  
to figure out the population. The fol-  
lowing appointments have been made  
the past week:

For the State at large—C. C. Smith  
and C. A. Stephens, Jasper; Hon. A.  
C. Blount, Pensacola; Frank H. Davis,  
Apopka; Winston S. Branning, Titus-  
ville; John W. Bowers, Pensacola;  
William Fisher, Pensacola; S. E. Mays,  
Jr., Plant City; Walter K. McCord,  
Tampa; Wm. G. Ball, Lake Butler; E.  
M. Brelsford, Palm Beach; S. S. San-  
ford, Mayo; John W. Harris, Bell (Ala-  
chua county); Robert J. Boone, Mari-  
anna; Owen Griffin, Butler.

## INTEREST IS INCREASING.

People Are Becoming Worked Up on  
Gold Watch Contest.

The contest for the most popular  
young lady in Tallahassee will last but  
a short time now. Notice of its close  
will soon be given, and people who  
wish to vote should take fair warning.  
It is an unwise policy to wait until the  
last minute to send in your ballots.

The shrewd politician makes an ag-  
gressive campaign from start to finish.  
He plans on getting ahead at the start  
and keeping there until he comes un-  
der the wire a winner. Confidence be-  
gets confidence. This is a well estab-  
lished fact, therefore if you wish to in-  
duce others to vote for your favorite,  
vote yourself. Vote early and often.

The contest during the past week has  
been more interesting than usual. A  
number of new names have been added  
to the list, and some changes in the  
relative positions is noticed. As will  
be seen, the number of ballots cast is  
greater than for any previous week.

The question of "who is the most  
popular young lady in Tallahassee" is  
still unsettled. We know that the Cap-  
ital City has more beautiful girls than  
any other place of its size in the coun-  
try. They are all beautiful, charming  
and popular. But who is the most pop-  
ular? That is for our readers to settle.  
The young lady receiving the greatest  
number of votes will receive from The  
Tallahassee a handsome gold watch,  
which is warranted by Mr. H. N.  
Sweeting to be a perfect time-keeper.  
The watch is now on exhibition in Mr.  
Sweeting's show window. In addition,  
her picture will be published in The  
Tallahassee.

Remember that no coupons will be  
taken later than the Thursday before  
the close of the contest, and that noth-  
ing but coupons cut from The Talla-  
hasseean will be counted. There will  
be no ballots printed for the purpose  
of selling. We still have a number of  
old Tallahasseeans left, which will be  
sold at regular rates as long as they  
last.

Following is the standing of the can-  
didates up to the hour of going to  
press:

Miss Pearl McCord.....	90
Miss Fannie Shutan.....	89
Miss Gussie Chittenden.....	33
Miss Wee Wee Wilson.....	30
Miss Nellie Costa.....	21
Miss Florence Lewis.....	20
Miss Mamie Andrews.....	29
Miss Octavia Lavender.....	16
Miss Clifford Carroll.....	12
Miss Blanche Bradley.....	7
Miss Gertrude Chittenden.....	4
Miss Bertha B. Bradley.....	1
Miss Blanche Parret.....	1
Miss Bessie Saxon.....	1

Better send in your coupons and let  
them be counted.

## PANACEA NOTES.

Panacea Springs, Jan. 30.—Mr. and  
Mrs. H. E. Smith, of New York, are  
here, and Mr. Smith is having a lot of  
sport. He is a splendid shot and every  
time he goes out brings back a bag full  
of game. Mr. Smith is having a duck  
boat built for his own use, patterned  
after his own ideas, and expects when it  
is completed to bag more ducks than  
heretofore.

Prof. A. H. Lowrie and wife, of El-  
gin, Ill., are also here. Prof. Lowrie is  
a publisher of national fame, and he  
and his most excellent lady are among  
the most charming guests we have had  
for a long time.

A party of gentlemen went out a few  
days ago, and in addition to a large  
bag of ducks and small game, brought  
back one large, fine wild goose. There  
are millions of the latter here, but they  
are so wild and so alert that it is next  
to impossible to kill them on the bay.  
Mr. Hall is still adding improve-  
ments at and about the springs. Quite  
a force of hands are engaged in this  
work.

## RAMON'S BROWNIE CALENDAR.

The accuracy with which Ramon's  
Brownie Calendar has foretold the  
weather this winter is simply wonder-  
ful. Its prediction for March was 1st  
to 3d mild period, fair; 4th to 10th  
storm wave, severe rain storms over  
Southwest, stormy weather in Canada  
and New England. These conditions  
have been fulfilled to the letter, and on  
Monday, March 4th, the papers an-  
nounced in large headlines: "Vast mul-  
titude standing in soaking rain wit-  
nessing inaugural ceremonies." The  
Weather Bureau at Washington issued  
a special bulletin Sunday evening stat-  
ing that the weather Monday, March 4,  
would be the finest experienced on the  
inauguration of a President; the sky  
surely would be clear and the tempera-  
ture warm and balmy. We are in-  
formed that the weather predictions in  
Ramon's Brownie Calendar are based  
on scientific calculations and their re-  
peated accuracy convince us that such  
is the fact. We have never seen one  
so generally correct as Ramon's.—The  
Greenville Sun, March 11, 1901.

Mr. Strickland, of the firm of Long &  
Strickland, Sopchoppy merchants, was  
in the city yesterday and registered at  
the Leon.

## A BRILLIANT BANQUET

BY CICERO LODGE

"A Feast of Reason and a Flow of Soul" from a  
Gathering of Distinguished Orators--Many  
Guests Present.

"Some friendships are made by na-  
ture, some by contact, some by interest,  
and some by souls," said Jeremy Tay-  
lor. No matter by which of the above  
methods the friendships existing in  
Pythianism are made, the friendship is  
there in all the beauty of its force, and  
a cardinal virtue of the order of  
Knights of Pythias. Pythianism is  
founded on "Friendship, Charity and  
Benevolence." One of their tenets is  
that there is nothing meretricious but  
virtue, and friendship, and that friend-  
ship itself is only a part of virtue.

The order took as its precept the  
beautiful story of Damon and Pythias,  
whose love for each other surpassed the  
love of woman. The two men were  
Pythagoreans of Syracuse, and lived  
in the first half of the fourth century.  
Pythias, who had plotted against the  
life of Dionysius I., of Syracuse, was  
condemned to die. As he wished to  
visit his family and arrange worldly  
affairs before execution, Damon offered  
himself as a substitute, ready to die if  
his friend did not return on the ap-  
pointed day. He was placed in chains  
and Pythias turned loose. At the last  
moment, when preparations were be-  
ing made for the execution of Damon,  
Pythias came back. The tyrant, Diony-  
sius, was so struck with the fidelity of  
the friends that he pardoned the of-  
fender, and begged to be taken into  
their friendship.

Upon such principles of love and  
fidelity the foundation of the order of  
Knights of Pythias has been laid, and  
it is needless to say that the best men  
of the land have become members.

Tallahassee boasts of two prosperous  
lodges of Knights of Pythias—Cicero  
and Capital City Lodges. They are  
composed of some of Florida's most  
distinguished sons. For some time  
past the oldest of these orders, Cicero  
Lodge, has been making extensive pre-  
parations for a grand blow-out. Their  
efforts culminated last night in a royal  
banquet at the Leon Hotel. The event  
was one of the most elaborate ever  
given in the Capital City. Nearly two  
hundred invitations had been sent out,  
of which number over one hundred  
were present. The distinguished speak-  
ers were brilliant and happy, and re-  
ceived rounds of applause. The occa-  
sion might aptly be termed "a feast of  
reason and a flow of soul." The beau-  
tiful bursts of eloquence and scintil-  
lating flashes of wit kept the guests in  
good humor during the entire evening.

Dr. W. E. Lewis, the toastmaster,  
was equal to every emergency, and dis-  
tinguished himself by the bright man-  
ner in which he brought out the vari-  
ous toasts. Rev. W. E. H. Mabry, the  
able divine, and eloquent orator, made  
the opening address. In the course of  
his remarks, which were largely lauda-  
tory of Pythianism, he said that the

Knights of Pythias were a broad man-  
tle of charity—sufficiently broad to  
embrace all the virtues of "Frien-  
dship, Charity and Benevolence." His  
address was well received.

Governor Jennings responded to the  
toast "Florida" in a vein that elicited  
rounds of applause. The Governor has  
a pleasing manner and excellent de-  
livery. His effort was a model of elo-  
quence. He received the rapt attention  
of the large crowd as he pictured in  
glowing terms the wonderful future of  
Florida.

To the toast "Pythians," our bril-  
liant attorney-general, W. B. Lamar,  
responded in his happiest mood. Mr.  
Lamar is always equal to the emer-  
gency, when it comes to making a  
speech. He was particularly eloquent  
in picturing the virtues of Pythianism,  
and the applause that followed his ef-  
fort showed that he had struck the  
right chord.

Hon. H. E. Day, chairman of the  
Florida Railroad Commission, respon-  
ded to the toast "Commence." His wit-  
ticisms called forth loud clapping of  
hands, while his references to com-  
mence were very appropriate. Mr.  
Day is a pleasing talker.

"Education" was responded to by  
State Superintendent Sheats, in a short  
address. The subject was of such vast  
importance that the speaker could not  
cover the ground thoroughly in the  
allotted time. Mr. Sheats is an enthu-  
siast on education, and his telling ad-  
dress showed the scholar in every ut-  
terance.

Hon. F. T. Myers is not a member of  
the order, nor was he on the program.  
Nevertheless he responded to the call  
of the toastmaster in a telling response  
to the toast "Florida," after which he  
paid a glowing tribute to Pythianism.

Rev. S. L. McCarty, as a represen-  
tative of Capital City Lodge, made a  
decided hit. His address was able, his  
delivery perfect, and the applause lib-  
eral.

This concluded the speech-making,  
and it can be safely said that never be-  
fore has the Capital City been treated  
to such a flow of eloquence as was  
brought forth by the banquet given by  
Cicero Lodge Knights of Pythias.

And the banquet itself was all that  
could have been desired. It was served  
under the direction of that popular  
caterer, Mr. Crawford, of the Leon.  
Following was the menu:

Oysters on Half Shell,  
Celery,  
Broiled Lake Trout, Port Wine Sauce,  
Pomme Parisienne,  
Toast Turkey, stuffed, Cranberry Sauce,  
Asparagus Tips, Creamed Potatoes,  
Chicken Salad, Mayonnaise,  
Philadelphia Ice Cream,  
Assorted Cakes,  
Coffee.

## TEN CENTS FOR TEN WEEKS.

The St. Louis Mirror is a twenty-  
eight page paper, in magazine form,  
edited by William Marion Reedy, as-  
sisted by a staff of contributors com-  
prising the best writers and literary  
authorities on all current subjects,  
social, religious, scientific, financial,  
literary or artistic.

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men and affairs; a treasury of short  
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best music are ably reviewed, and all  
topics of contemporary interest are  
given careful attention. It is the up-  
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the professional man, the student,  
the politician, as well as for woman  
and the home.

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stamps, we will mail the Mirror to  
your address for ten weeks.

THE MIRROR, St. Louis, Mo.

## A MATRIMONIAL THEORY.

The other night a party of gentlemen  
were discussing the subject of matrimony  
when an oft-quoted remark was  
made that it was cheaper for a young  
man to get married. A well-known  
young man who had evidently been  
seriously contemplating taking the  
step, gave himself away by enthusias-  
tically exclaiming:

"I hope the theory will work out all  
right, because if two can live cheaper

than one, three can live for less than  
two, and—" but remembering him-  
self, he stopped with a suddenness that  
attracted the attention of all. His face  
became suffused with blushes, and it  
is even said that he now crosses the  
street to keep from meeting the quizz-  
ing glances of his friends.

## A DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT.

In response to neatly prepared in-  
vitations quite a large number of people  
gathered at the Senior Cover's residence  
about 2 1/2 miles east of the city, on the  
St. Augustine road, last Friday night,  
and spent a very delightful evening.

The Misses Cover had prepared a  
splendid program of amusements for  
the evening, which was entered into  
with enthusiasm by the young folks.  
The older ones, too, seemed to enjoy  
themselves equally as well, and it was  
past midnight before the crowd de-  
parted.

Among the guests were quite a num-  
ber from this city.

## KEEPING THE TEETH IN GOOD CONDITION.

Use a brush with bristles which are  
neither too stiff nor too soft, and brush  
the teeth on all sides.

The teeth should be examined at  
least twice a year by a competent den-  
tist. They should be washed with luke-  
warm water before breakfast, after  
each meal, and before retiring.

An extremely important item in the  
care of the teeth is the use of dental  
floss always after eating. This, to-  
gether with a soft orange-wood tooth-  
pick, will remove every particle of food  
from the teeth.

There are so many excellent denti-  
fices that it is hard to decide which  
one is best. Precipitated chalk is al-  
ways good, and may be rubbed about  
the gums after eating anything acid  
and also before retiring.

Avoid exposing the teeth to extremes  
of temperature. Very hot and very  
cold substances have a tendency to  
crack the enamel. Never use a metal  
instrument of any kind in the mouth,  
and neither bite thread nor crack nuts  
with them.—Ladies' Home Journal.

## ARVAH HOPKINS' DEMISE.

Had Been Sick Only About a Week  
When the End Came.

Mr. Arvah Hopkins, one of Talla-  
hassee's most enterprising and respect-  
ed citizens died Wednesday afternoon  
at the home of Mrs. Bond, on North  
Monroe street. Deceased had been sick  
only about ten days, and his sudden  
death was a great surprise to the peo-  
ple.

Mr. Hopkins was a worker in the  
true sense of the word, his latest un-  
dertaking being the construction of a  
railroad from St. Marks to the cypress  
camps. Scarcely over a week ago he  
contracted a severe cold, which de-  
veloped into pneumonia, and although  
everything was done that was possible  
to medical science, he continued to  
grow worse.

At one time Arvah Hopkins served as  
deputy sheriff of Leon county, which  
position he filled with entire satisfac-  
tion. Indeed he threw his entire en-  
ergy into every undertaking, and few  
men had more friends. In 1890 he was  
married to Miss Laura Barnes, a most  
estimable young lady, by whom he had  
two children.

Funeral took place from the Episco-  
pal church Thursday afternoon at 4  
o'clock, services being conducted by  
the rector, Dr. Carter. Remains were  
interred in the City Cemetery, and were  
conducted to their last resting place  
by a large concourse of relatives and  
friends.

## IF YOU WERE SCARED

It is not difficult to suppose that the  
pain in the lower part of your back  
might be kidney trouble. But being a person  
of sense you know it is only muscular  
stiffness, from cold, and that prompt  
treatment with Perry Davis' Painkiller  
will prevent it from growing into lum-  
bago. Act accordingly and you will be  
glad you saw this. There is but one  
Painkiller, Perry Davis'.

## THE MOTHERS' MEETING.

On Monday afternoon, January 27th,  
there assembled at the home of Mrs.  
W. L. Moore in this city a number of  
mothers and those who make home  
happy and bright. The meeting was  
led by Mrs. William Knott. Sacred  
music, Bible readings, exchange of  
opinions—the stimulus of thought  
against thought—made the hour pass  
swiftly by.

The world has learned that mothers  
require a knowledge of all outside con-  
ditions that influence the home, and  
the future welfare of our little ones.  
Mothers are realizing this, and today  
the deep appreciation of the need of  
such interchange of views has caused  
mothers' meetings to be held in every  
State of our own country, as well as  
in twelve foreign countries.

The press has devoted itself most  
generously to the cause, and they have  
focused attention on the good work as  
nothing else could have done. Due  
notice will be given of next meeting.

## THIS CLIMATE IS GOOD

enough for anybody with weak lungs.  
The patient need not travel. He can  
get well here with the help of Allen's  
Lung Balsam, taken frequently when  
coughing and shortness of breath after  
exercise serve notice upon him that se-  
rious pulmonary trouble is not far  
away. Allen's Lung Balsam is free  
from any form of opium.

## NEW CORPORATIONS.

The Operators' Cooperage Company,  
with its principal place of business at  
Leesburg, in Lake county, is a new  
corporation that has just been granted  
a charter.

The general nature of the business  
to be transacted by the corporation is  
the making, manufacturing and selling  
of all kinds of barrels, staves, heading  
and other woodenware.

The amount of the capital stock is  
\$40,000, divided into four hundred  
shares of the par value of \$100 each,  
to be paid in such installments and upon  
such terms and conditions as may be  
provided for by the by-laws of the cor-  
poration. The term of existence is  
twenty years. The business will be  
conducted by a president, secretary,  
treasurer and board of directors, and  
such other officers as may be deemed  
necessary.

## IN BED FOUR WEEKS WITH LA GRIPPE.

We have received the following letter  
from Mr. Roy Kemp, of Angola, Ind.:  
"I was in bed four weeks with la grippe  
and I tried many remedies with phys-  
icians, but I received no relief until I  
tried Foley's Honey and Tar. Two  
small bottles of this medicine cured  
me and I now use it exclusively in my  
family." Take no substitutes.

## CARD OF THANKS.

The young men wish to thank Col.  
and Mrs. S. D. Chittenden for their  
kind assistance in arranging for the  
German last Friday evening.

In the Tallahassee voting contest  
you can stuff the ballot box all you  
please if you see the right kind of ticket.

## BODY LAID TO REST

Remains of Secretary of State  
Buried Saturday

## THE LAST RITES PERFORMED

A Man of Irreproachable Character  
and Integrity.

Had Diogenes been in the flesh dur-  
ing the life time of Dr. John L. Craw-  
ford, his search for an honest man  
would not have been in vain. The life  
of Doctor Crawford was above re-  
proach. His career was untarnished,  
his friends were legion, and no man in  
Florida had a greater share of public  
confidence and esteem.

Dr. Crawford was a man who pos-  
sessed the courage of his convictions.  
His sturdy honesty of purpose won the  
admiration of all, and it can be truly  
said that he did not have an enemy.  
The news of his death, while not un-  
expected, was a shock to the entire  
State. His condition, for some time,  
gave little hope. He had long passed  
his allotted four score years. His life  
was one of usefulness, and when the  
end came, the news was received with  
genuine sorrow.

The doctor breathed his last at 7  
o'clock last Friday morning. The Gov-  
ernor was immediately notified; a pro-  
clamation was issued and necessary ar-  
rangements were made for the funeral.  
Flags on the State Capitol and army  
were placed at half-mast.

At 10 o'clock Saturday morning the  
remains were conveyed from the resi-  
dence of his son to the Capitol, where  
they lay in state until 11 o'clock, on a  
catafalque in the rotunda. The place  
had been appropriately draped, a  
squad of the Governor's Guards were on  
duty as a guard of honor, and many  
people paid their last respects to the  
remains.

At 11 o'clock the cortege moved slowly  
down Monroe street, thence to the  
Methodist church, where funeral ser-  
vices were conducted by Rev. W. E. H.  
Mabry, the pastor, and Presiding Elder  
J. B. Ley. From the church, the pro-  
cession marched with slow and solemn  
tread to the City Cemetery, where a  
large crowd had congregated to see  
the remains of the illustrious dead con-  
signed to their last resting place.

The pall-bearers were among Flori-  
da's most distinguished men. They  
were: Justice F. B. Carter, Commis-  
sioner E. C. Maxwell, Attorney Gen-  
eral W. B. Lamar, Superintendent of  
Public Instruction W. N. Sheats, Gen-  
eral Lang, E. G. Closely, Bartow B.  
Wilson, and C. H. Dickinson, private  
secretary to Governor Jennings.

"I feel as if I should fly to pieces,"  
How often those words are on a wo-  
man's lips. They express to the utter-  
most the nerve racked condition of the  
body, which makes life a daily martyr-  
dom.

If this condition had come suddenly  
it would have been unbearable. But the  
transition was gradual. A little more  
drain each day of the vitality. Any  
woman would be glad to be rid of such  
a condition. Every woman tries to be  
rid of it. Thousands of such women  
have been cured by Dr. Pierce's treat-  
ment with his "Favorite Prescription,"  
when local doctors had entirely failed  
to cure.

"Favorite Prescription" contains no  
opium, cocaine or other narcotic.

## GIVE WOMEN RIGHT TO VOTE.

"Why should women be denied the  
right of suffrage?" asked Representa-  
tive Henry C. Smith, of Michigan, as a  
bevy of members of the gentler sex  
passed. "Look at those girls and tell  
me if they would not exert an elevating  
and refining effect on the politics of  
this country. Our women are pure and  
intelligent, and are well qualified to  
fulfill the duties of a voter, and I be-  
lieve the country would be benefited  
by allowing them to vote.

"I would like to see them in the  
House of Representatives, the Senate,  
and other public places they would  
adorn. I never could understand why  
women, some of whom possess great  
wealth, should be denied the right of  
suffrage, when it is given to every male  
of the legal age, who may be nothing  
but a loafer.

"I will introduce a resolution pro-  
posing an amendment to the constitu-  
tion providing for the right of suffrage  
to every citizen, male or female. This  
may cause some criticism; but I believe  
it is proper women should be given the  
right to vote.

"I am a great believer in women,  
and they exert a wholesome effect by  
their presence. I have a number in my  
office, and I propose to keep them in  
there. Their presence tends to keep  
everything neat and clean; they take  
the place of tobacco-chewing men, and  
the fellows who tell vile stories."

## STEPPED INTO LIVE COALS.

"When a child I burned my foot  
frightfully," writes W. H. Eads, of  
Jonesville, Va., "which caused horrible  
leg sores for 30 years, but Bucklen's  
Arnica Salve wholly cured me after  
everything else failed." Infallible for  
Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Sores, Bruises and  
Piles. Sold by all druggists. 25c.

Hon. John F. Dorman, of Live Oak,  
who has been appointed chief clerk in  
the Secretary of State's office, arrived  
here Tuesday to assume the duties of  
his position. Mr. Dorman is well  
and favorably known in Tallahassee.